

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Francis PRUCHE et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1615
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Application No.: 10/718,683	)	Examiner: Jyothsna A. Venkat
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Filed: November 24, 2003	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 3211
For: COMPOSITION FOR COLORING	)	
KERATIN MATERIAL,	)	
COMPRISING AT LEAST TWO	)	
COMPONENTS, AND COLORING	)	
PROCESSES	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the election and remarks below.

**REMARKS**

Previously, the Examiner of record, Leslie Royds, issued a Restriction and Election of Species Requirement on April 13, 2007 restricting the claims to composition claims (Group I) and process/method claims (Group II). The Examiner in this application has changed from Leslie Royds to Jyothsna Venkat, who has issued a new restriction requirement.